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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Plaintiff,

v.

MICROSOFT CORPORATION,

and

ACTIVISION BLIZZARD, INC.

Defendants.

Case No. 23-cv-02880-JSC

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION OF  
ATTORNEY PRO HAC VICE  
(CIVIL LOCAL RULE 11-3)**

I, Benjamin P. Argyle, an active member in good standing of the bar of The State of New York, hereby respectfully apply for admission to practice pro hac vice in the Northern District of California representing Non-Party Nintendo of America, Inc., in the above-entitled action. My local co-counsel in this case is Steven E Swaney, an attorney who is a member of the bar of this Court in good standing and who maintains an office within the State of California. Local co-counsel's bar number is: 221437.

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I am an active member in good standing of a United States Court or of the highest court of another State or the State of New York, as indicated above; my bar number is 5300678.

A true and correct copy of a certificate of good standing or equivalent official document from said bar is attached to this application.

I have been granted pro hac vice admission by the Court 0 times in the 12 months preceding this application.

I agree to familiarize myself with, and abide by, the Local Rules of this Court, especially the Standards of Professional Conduct for attorneys and the Alternative Dispute Resolution Local Rules. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: June 22, 2023

/s/ Benjamin P. Argyle

APPLICANT

Benjamin P. Argyle

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION

FOR ADMISSION OF ATTORNEY PRO HAC VICE

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the application  
of Benjamin P. Argyle is  
granted, subject to the terms and conditions of Civil L.R. 11-3. All papers filed by the attorney  
must indicate appearance pro hac vice. Service of papers upon, and communication with, local  
co-counsel designated in the application will constitute notice to the party.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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HON. JACQUELINE SCOTT CORLEY  
United States District Judge



*Appellate Division of the Supreme Court  
of the State of New York  
Second Judicial Department*

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*I, Maria T. Fasulo, Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial Department, do hereby certify that*

*Benjamin Preisendanz Argyle*

*was duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in all the courts of this State on **January 21, 2015**, has duly taken and subscribed the oath of office prescribed by law, has been enrolled in the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors at Law on file in this office, is duly registered with the Administration Office of the Courts, and according to the records of this Court is currently in good standing as an Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.*



*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set  
my hand in the City of Brooklyn on  
June 22, 2023.*

*Maria T. Fasulo*

*Clerk of the Court*



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To Whom It May Concern

An attorney admitted to practice by this Court may request a certificate of good standing, which is the only official document this Court issues certifying to an attorney's admission and good standing.

An attorney's registration status, date of admission and disciplinary history may be viewed through the attorney search feature on [the website of the Unified Court System](#).

New York State does not register attorneys as active or inactive.

An attorney may request a disciplinary history letter from the [Attorney Grievance Committee of the Second Judicial Department](#).

Bar examination history is available from the [New York State Board of Law Examiners](#).

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